AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE LAND IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.-By virtue of a dead of trust given to me by Zerra A. Smith and Sarah C. Smith, his wife, dated on the 10th day of July, 1871, and recorded in liber N. No. 4, folio 183, one of the land records of Fairfax county, Va., and at the request of the hensitiery in said dead of trust in writing, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House of said county, on MONDAY, the 15th day of December, 1879, (that being Court day) a CRETAIN TRACT OF LAND, lying and seing situate in the county and State aforesai, containing 51 acres, I ty and State aforesai, containing 51 acres, 1 rood and 40 poles, being a portion of the land conveyed to the said Zera A. Smith, by H. S.

Nelson, by B. D. Nelson's Mill.

Terms of Eule: So much each in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of sale and the sum of \$2.0, with interest from the 12th of January, 1838 and the said and the sum of \$2.0. 1578, and the residue upon such terms as may be agreed upon by the parties in interest, and in default of such agreement, then upon a credit of twelve months, with interest from the day of sale at 12 per centum per annum. Sching as Trustee, I shall convey only such title as is vested in one by the said deed of trust.

F. D. EICHARDSON, Trustee. trast, F. D. EICH Fairfax co , nov 13-ts

By John W. Graham, Auctioneer.

TRUSTSE'S SALE OF DESIRABLE
PROPERTY IN FARRAX COUNTY —
By virtue of a deed of trust from Alfred Bayliss
and John H. Sarten and wife, dated the 27th day and John H. Sarten and wife, dated the 27th day of January, 1811, and duly of record among the land records of Fairfax county, in liber W. No. 4, folio 415, and for the purpose therein mentioned, the undersigned will offer for sale by public anction, in front of the Court House door at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 15th day of December, 1819, (court day) at 12 c'clock m., to the highest bidder, the TRACT OF LAND conveyed by the above mentioned deed, and described therein as follows, viz. One certain tract of land known as KEEN'S MILL TRACT, fluxted on the couth tide of Pohick flun, in the district of the, county of Fairfax, State of Virginis, and contains, by recent survey, one hundred and forty-one and a half acre, to which survey for the metes and bounds refto which survey for the metes and bounds ref-

Terms of sale: So much cash as will pay costs of sale, also the sum of five hundred dol-lars with interest thereon from the 27th day of January, 1877, until paid; and if there he any residue of such ; urchase money, the same shall be made payable at such time or times, and be accured in such manner as the said Bayliss and Sarten shall direct, or in case of their failure to give such directions, at such time and in such mannner, as the undersigned shall think fit, nov 10-wis C. W. HUNT, Trustee.

POPERTY NEAR OCCOOUNN VIL BAGE-By virtue of a deed of trust from George Selecman and wife, dated the 15th day of Feb-Selecman and wife, dated the 15th day of February, 1873, recorded among the land records of Fairfax county, liber P, No. 4, page 166, and for the purpose therein mentioned, the undersigned will offer for sale by public auction, at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 15th day of December, 1879, (Caurt day) to the high cest bidder, the TRAUT OF LAND conveyed in the whole mentioned dued and hounded as fair the above mentioned deed, and bounded as foilows: On the north by Thes. L. Selecman, Thos. Curtiss and Wm. H. Marshail; west by William Davis; south by Occoquen creck; east by William Scheeman and Charles Tyler. Said tract contains 864 acres, and is known as Flint Hill. This place has THEXE DWELLINGS,

and will make three farms.

Terms of Sale: So much each as will pay expenses of sale, also the sum of one thousand dollars, with interest thereon from the 15th day of February, 1878, until the day of sale. Selling as trustee, I shall convoy such title as is vested in me, which I believe to be good.

novl0-twts WM. F. HALLEY, Trustee.

PRUSTEE SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY, AT CLIFTON, FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of a deed of trust from Joseph J. Barnum and wife, dated the lad ords of Pairfaz county, liber P. No. 3, folio 344, and for the purposes therain mentioned, the unand for the purposes therain mentioned, the indersigned will offer for sale at public suction, at
Fairfax C. H., on MONDAY, the 10th day of
November next, (Court day,) a VALUABLE
LOT, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon,
within 50 yards of the passenger depot of the
Virginis Midland raitread, bounded as follower,
leginning at the seutheast corner of William E.
Ford's let, on Main street, thence running on
the westerly side of faid street coutherly 95 feet
to South street, theree along the particular lies. to South street; thence along the northerly line of South street westerly 58 feet 2 inches; thence northerly on the line of lot No. 7 % feet; thence essterly 58 feet 2 inches along the line of said William E. Ford's lot to the point of beginning, known as lot No. 6 on the map of the Haniss property. The above lot is improved by a DWBLILING HOUSE, built in modern tiple, 20x40 feet, with seven faished rooms, besides the nall and kitchen.

Terms of Sale: So much each in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of sale; also the sum of \$1,500, with interest thereen at 10 per cent. per annum from the let day of August, 1878, until the day of sale, the residue upon a credit of 12 months, to be secured upon the property. Selling as trustees, we shall convey such title only as is vested in u., which is believed to be unquestionable.

Sale to take place between 12 and 2 o'clock. THOMAS R. LOVE, JAMES M. LOVE

DECEMBER 15, D79.
THOMAS R. LOVE, JAMES M. LOVE, ts Trustees. Fairfax co., nov 12-ts

TRUSTEES SALE OF A HOUSE AND LOT. By virtue of a deed of trust from James Windsor, dated the 12th day of December, 1874, re-corded in liber No. 4, page 432, in the Clerk's effice of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, and for the purposes therein men-tioned, the undersigned will offer for sale by public section, on WEDNESDAY, the third day of December, 1879, about 12 m., in front of

the premises, in Alexandria, Va. the LOT OF GROUND, in the said city, situated on the south side of Duko street between Water street (now Lee street) and Union street, beginning on Duke street at the westmest corner of let No. 78 in the original plan of the said city, and running south with a line of said lot 88 feet, more or less, to an S feet alley; thence with said alley east twenty feet; thence with a line parallel with the first line to Duke street; thence with Duke street to the beginning, with the IMPROVEMENTS, ways, sileys and appurtenances thereto belonging. Terms of sale-cash. nov 3-sotd JAMES ENNIS, Trustee

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AUCTION SALES.

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OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF LAND IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, NEAR MOUNT VERNON-By virtue of the decrees of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its November term, 1878, and June term, 1879, in the suit of John Baislin sgainst Jas. S. Marders and others was shall at 15 m. Mounty 1988. and others, we shall, at 12 m. on MONDAY, the 15th day of December ensuing (ccurt day) in frost of the Court House of said county, sell by public anction, to the highest bidder, that TEACT OF LAND whereon the said James S. Marders at present resides, situated on Pohich Crock, and containing about 176 acres, the exact quantity to be made known on the day of sale. It has upon it a comfortable DWELLING HGUSE, with the usual and necessary outbuild-

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By Green & Wise, Auctioneers. OM MISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALU-JABLE SMALL FARM CLOSE TO THE SUBURBS OF THE CITY-By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, Virginia, rendered at its August term, 1809, in the suit of Mary P. Lloyd, guardian, pisicitif, vs. J. P. Tabb. et al., defendants, in chancery, the undersigned, commissioner there-in named, will proceed, on THURSDAY, the 18th day of December, 1879, at 12 o'clock, in front of the Mansion House Hotel, in the city of front of the Mansion House Hotel, in the city of Alexandris, Va., to sell by public suction, a TRACT OF LAND, lying in Alexandria couna, about one mile northwest of the containing about sixty acres of high land and meadow, beautifully located, and improved by a FRAME DWELLING, Kitchen, &c., good barn and stables, orchard of good fruit, cistern and stream of water running through the place Would make a good dairy farm. The land ad joins Harper, Wolf and others, and is bounded on the southwest by the old Leesburg road.
Therms: One tenth of the purchase money to
be paid in each, and for the residue the bonds of

the purchaser, with security, at 6, 12 and 18 menths, to be taken for the deferred payments, with interest from the day of sale, and the title o be retained until they are fully paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser, nov 15-2-wits C. W. WATTLES, Comm'r.

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Hunting for a Word. An anecdote of Moore, the Irish poet, shows how much pains a writer who does good work

will take to put the right word in the right place. Moore was on a visit to a literary friend in France, and while there wrote a short poem. Ose day while the guest was engaged in his iterary labor, the two took a stroll in the adseent wood, and the host soon perceived that his companion was given up to his ewa thoughte;

he was silent and abstracted, noticing neither

his friend and entertainer nor the surrounding beauties of the landscape. By and by he began to gnaw the fieger tips of his glove, pulling and twitching spasmodically, and when this had gone on for a long time, his friend ventured to ask him what was the trouble.

"I'll tell you," and said Moore. "I have heli at home upon my table a poem in which is a word I do not like. The line is perfect save that one word, and that word is perfect save its inflection. Thus it is, and he repeated the line and asked his friend if he could help

It was a delicate point. The friend saw the

need, saw where and how the present word jarred just the sightest possible bit upon the exquisito harmony of the cidence; but he could not supply the want. The twain endgeled their braics until they

reached the house on their return without avail. The rest of the day was spent as usual as was he evening, save that ever anon Moore would sink into silent fits in pursuit of the absent word. And so came on the night, and the poet

went to bed in a deep study.

The fellowing morning was bright and beautiful, and Moore came down from his chamber with a bounding step with a scrap of paper in his hand, and a glorious light in his genial countenance. The word had come to him! He was awakened during the night, and the kind genius of

inspiration had visited his pillow, and he had got up and torn a sorap from his note book, and at the window, by the light of the moon, had GRAY HAIR OR WHISKERS changed to "There," he said, when he had incorporated it into the text, "there it is—only a simple. single word, a word as common as a b o, and

yet it cost me twelve hours of unflagging labor

to find it and put it where it is. Who cou'd A MAN WHO HAS PAID OUT \$60,000,000 .--For the past week or more Scoretary Taylor of the Bonarza mines has been so sick that he has been confined to his room. Hence when pay day came (which was yesterday) he was so behind with his work that he was compelled to deter paying until to day. This surprised the employees, and gave rise to rumors that the

Bonanza firm was about to suspend paymen' altogether. This morning, however, when the \$29,000 trays were placed on the table, and Mr. Tayfor was seen at his post as usual, all fear was

Mr. Taylor says that he has been paying off now for about six years, during which time he has disbursed over \$60,000,000, and yesterday was the first time he was ever a minute behindhand. He has handled so much money that he can tell by the weight of a pile of twenties, without looking at them at all, how much there is in the lot. In paying off he has the gold counted into \$100 and \$140 piles, and the silver into \$4, \$6 and \$10 piles, so that he can pass it out as fast as the men era come up to the paying counter. So sensitive is he to the weight of a pile of coin that sometimes, if a \$10 stack of half dollars contains a few that are new, and consequently a trifle beavier than the rest, he will stop and count them over to see if there isn't some mistake. - Virginia City

Chroniele. A CLERGYMAN'S ADVENTURES .- It is not wholly a sincourc-the position of minister of the gospel in Leadville. The big brothers of a young lady having compelled her lover to faifit his promise of marriage, this lively opisade is

reported: "During the ceremony the bridegroom being dissatisfied with some performance of the clergyman, fired his revolver at the divine, but as he missed his shot, the bullet only whizzing past the reverend gentleman's ear, the latter continued the discharge of his sacred functions till the twain were one flesh. Thereupon, in order that all things might be done in the best style, and according to old-fashioned rule, he stepped forward and kissed the bride. At this the jealous britegroom was wroth and smote him. Whereupen the reverend church militant, he being a brawny priest of some six feet in height, sprang over the chancel railing, and zizing the newly-made husband by the back of his neck, gave him, under the cover of the pis tols newly-made brothers in law, such a dreadful drubbing that he will remember it as long as bo ives. This closed the marriage solemnities.

AN INSTANCE of the ignorance otherwise well educated people sometimes display of the words of the Bible is related of two journalists in Ohio. Soon after the late Salmon P. Chase in Ohio. Soon after the late Salmon P. Chase assumed the gubernatorial chair, he issued his proclamation appointing a Thankstving Day. The governor composed his preclamation almost exclusively of passages from the Bible, which he did not designate as quotations, presuming that every one weald recognize them. The proclamation meeting the eyes of a democratic editor, he posseed upon it at once, declared that he had read it before—he couldn't exactly say where, but he was sure that it was a downright—plagiatism from beginning to end: The next day the republican editor came out valiably in defence of the governor, pronounced The next day the republican earlor came out valiantly in defence of the governor, pronounced the charge false and libellous, and challenged any man living to produce one single line of the proclamation that had ever appeared in print before.

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